GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
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LOK SABHA

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CROP DAMAGE DUE TO RAIN
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Will the Minister of AGRICULTURE be pleased to state:

(a) whether standing crops in large parts of the Konkan region in Maharashtra have been damaged due to untimely rain;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) if so, whether the Government proposes to provide financial assistance to the farmers; and

(d) if so, the details thereof and the action taken so far by the Government in this regard?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, FOOD PROCESSING INDUSTRIES AND PARLIAMENTARY AFFAIRS (SHRI HARISH RAWAT)

(a) & (b): The Government of Maharashtra has not reported damage to standing crops due to untimely rain during 2011-12.

(c) & (d): Do not arise.